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Price, \$2 PER MONTH.

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.
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Banks.
HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.
PAID-UP CAPITAL, \$7,500,000
RESERVE FUND, \$4,500,000
RESERVE FOR EQUIVOCATION, \$500,000
RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS, \$7,500,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS.
Chairman—M. GOSWAMI, Esq.
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HONGKONG.
INTEREST ALLOWED.
ON Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.
For Fixed Deposits:—
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 " " "
" 12 " 5 " " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.
Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.
T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.
Hongkong, February 27, 1886. 402

NOTICE.
RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

- 1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1.
- 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.
- 3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.
- 4.—Interest at the rate of 3 1/2 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.
- 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to the bank at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.
- 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank is marked ON HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK BUSINESS and forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.
- 7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.
T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.
Hongkong, May 7, 1886. 754

THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, \$2,000,000
PAID-UP, \$500,000

REGISTERED OFFICE.
40, TURKAD STREET, LONDON.

BRANCHES.
In India, China, Japan and the Colonies.

THE BANK RECEIVES Money on Deposit, buys and sells Bills of Exchange, issues Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, and transacts Banking and Agency Business generally on terms to be had on application.

APPROVED CLAIMS ON THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION in Liquidation, or the Balance of such Claims, purchased.

- 1.—By an immediate Payment in Cash of not less than 50 % for the whole Claim.
- 2.—At 100 % Payment being made in fully paid Scrip of the Corporation's 24 per cent. Perpetual Debenture Stock, carrying interest from date of issue, and exchangeable for Stock Warrants of \$100 with Half-Yearly Interest Coupons attached, on the Scrip being made up to any even multiple of \$100.

Holders of this Stock incur no liability whatever.

H. A. HEBBERT, Manager, Hongkong Branch.
Hongkong, February 15, 1886. 314

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

I HAVE This Day RE-ESTABLISHED myself in Business at this Port, under the Name of GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.
GEO. R. STEVENS, Pedder's Street.

Hongkong, March 24, 1886. 604

A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED.

MR. HARRY ARNOLD WOOL-NOUGH is appointed Secretary of the above-named Company and is authorized to sign for it in that capacity.
JNO. D. HUMPHREYS, General Manager.

Hongkong Diapenary, 3rd April, 1886. 676

NOTICE.

DURING the Absence of our Mr. C. D. BOTTOMLEY, Mr. THOMAS EDMUND DAVIES is authorized to sign our Firm per Procuration.
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.
Hongkong, March 16, 1886. 540

Intimations.

THE LEE YUEN SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED, IN LIQUIDATION.

THE LIQUIDATORS are prepared to receive TENDERS for the PURCHASE of the LAND, BUILDINGS, MACHINERY, and FIXTURES of THE LEE YUEN SUGAR REFINING COMPANY. All Tenders should be enclosed in an Envelope endorsed "TENDERS FOR PURCHASE OF LEE YUEN," and addressed to the Liquidators of the LEE YUEN SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, and must be placed in the hands of C. E. EWENS, Solicitor to the Liquidators, with a Deposit of \$20,000, before 3 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, the 21st day of April, 1886.

The Tenders will not be opened until after 3 o'clock on the 21st day of April. The Liquidators will accept the highest Tender provided it exceeds the sum of \$190,000 and provided also it is on a form which can be obtained at the Office of C. E. EWENS, at 45, Queen's Road, Hongkong, and it is in accordance with the conditions contained in such form.

The Purchaser must also purchase the COAL, ANIMAL CHARCOAL, and OFFICE FURNITURE, and SPARE MACHINERY, and STORES in the Godown (which are not included in the Tender) at a separate price. The Purchaser must also take over from date of Sale, the liability of the Company under the Contract with the English Sugar Boiler of the Company who has been engaged for a term expiring in February, 1887. The Refinery is most favourably situated occupying almost 100,000 square feet of ground by the side of Bowring Canal and close to the Harbour.

The whole of the Buildings and Machinery are in excellent order, a large portion of the Plant and Machinery having never been used. The Refinery is capable of refining 1,200 tons of Raw Sugar per day.

Dated this Eighteenth day of March, 1886
ANDREW JOHNSTON,
LAU WAI CHUN 劉渭川,
LI KING TING 李敬亭,
Liquidators.

CHAS. J. GAUFF & Co.,
Chronometer, Watch & Clock Makers,
Jewellers, Gold & Silversmiths.

NAUTICAL, SCIENTIFIC AND METEOROLOGICAL INSTRUMENTS.

VOIGTLANDER'S CELEBRATED BINOCULARS AND TELESCOPES. RICHIE'S LIQUID AND OTHER COMPASSES. ADMIRALTY LIME LIGHT CHARTS, NAUTICAL BOOKS. English Silver & Electro-Plated Ware. Christie & Co.'s Electro-Plated Ware. GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY, in great variety.

DIAMONDS AND JEWELLERY.
A Splendid Collection of the Latest LONDON PATTERNS, at very moderate prices. 742

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.'s
PIERS AND GODOWNS, WEST POINT.

THESE are now in Working Order. STEAMERS are berthed at the Wharf, and CARGO RECEIVED and STORED at Cheap Rates.

THE GODOWNS are two storied, dry, airy, and well suited for the Storage of SILK, Cotton and Woollen Piece Goods, as well as GENERAL MERCHANDISE. Advances made on Cargo stored. For Rates and further Particulars, apply to the MANAGER, or to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
Hongkong, December 2, 1885. 2092

THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Registered Office of the above Company, No. 7, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 20th day of April, 1886, at Three o'clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of Confirming the Special Resolutions proposed and passed at the Last Meeting of the Shareholders held on the 3rd day of April, 1886.

NOTICE is hereby given that the aforesaid Resolutions being duly confirmed, an EXTRAORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 7, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 30th day of April, 1886, at a Quarter-past-three o'clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of Passing a Special Resolution to empower the Board of Directors to subdivide the present Shares of \$100 each of the Company into Shares of \$20 each.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
T. ARNOLD, Secretary.
Hongkong, April 9, 1886. 693

Business Notices.

SUMMER GOODS.

GENTLEMEN'S UNDER-SHIRTS and DRAWERS. Fancy Thread and Cotton HALF-HOSE. New Lawn Tennis JERSEYS.

Fancy Silk Tennis SHIRTS. The Newest Cambric SCARF and TIES. Washing Silk Summer SCARFS.

Men's Bathing DRAWERS and DRESSES. Ladies' Bathing COSTUMES and Bath WRAPS. Turkish Bath BLANKETS and TOWELS.

Single and Double 'Terai' HATS. Felt HATS in new shapes. Pith Sun HATS and HELMETS. New PUGGABIES.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, April 6, 1886. 699

ROBERT LANG & Co.,

Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers & General Outfitters, QUEEN'S ROAD (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL).

HAVE RECEIVED THEIR FIRST SHIPMENT OF

SPRING GOODS,

which they will be prepared to SHOW on and after

Monday, April 5th
Hongkong, April 3, 1886. 678

KELLY & WALSH, LD.,

NEW SHIPMENT OF BRINSMEAD'S PIANOS

FOR SALE. FOR HIRE. OR FOR PURCHASE on the MONTHLY SYSTEM.

KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED, HONGKONG. 727

W. POWELL & Co.

HAVE RECEIVED THIS WEEK.

NEW DRESS MATERIALS. White Dress MATERIALS. Best Broadcloth SATENS. FLOWERS, FEATHERS, WINGS, BIRDS. CANVAS and MATTING CLOTH. EMBOZEMED TENNIS JACKETS, every colour. Plain and Fancy PESTAS LAINES. New Makes in Ladies' CORSETS. ROSENKRANZ PIANOS.

New Shapes in STRAW HATS. Boys' and Girls' STRAW HATS. FLOWERS, FEATHERS, WINGS, BIRDS. Children's Boots and Shoes. Children's India Gauze Vests. CARBON LENSES and LAMPERS. MATTING and FLOOR OIL CLOTHS. SEWING MACHINES.

W. POWELL & Co.
Victoria Exchange, Hongkong, April 10, 1886. 730

Victoria Hotel,

Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the most comfortable and convenient in the place.

The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large DINING HALL.

The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, Reading, Billiard and Smoking Rooms. The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken.

Messrs. DORABEE & HING KEE, Proprietors.
Hongkong, 8th December 16, 1885. 1612

Intimations.

EMPLOYMENT Wanted by an Experienced Man of long Experience in the Colony. Competent ACCOUNTANT and Correspondent. Address, 'ALPHA,' Office of this Paper.

Hongkong, March 22, 1886. 591

HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE ON and after SUNDAY, 4th Instant, the Price of ICE will be ONE CENT per POUND.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.
Hongkong, April 2, 1886. 673

THE KORSCHKE ICE-DEPOT.

WE Have This Day been appointed AGENTS for the KORSCHKE ICE-DEPOT and are now READY to SUPPLY ICE from our Depot, Pedder's Street (near the HONGKONG HOTEL), in quantities from 500 lbs. and upwards, at the Rate of ONE CENT per lb., offering special arrangements to large consumers. The Blocks of Ice weighing up to 7000 lbs. each are specially adapted for shipping purposes.

F. BLACKHEAD & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, April 1, 1886. 659

Entertainments.

THE HONGKONG CHORAL SOCIETY.
ST. ANDREW'S HALL.
A CONCERT will be given

THIS EVENING, the 14th Instant, at 9 o'clock, FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FUNDS OF THE CITY HALL.

THE PROGRAMME WILL CONSIST OF: Ballads. Selections from the 'Ancient Mariner' Do. 'Rose Maiden' Do. A Pianoforte Solo.

Seats may be booked at Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.'s, on and after Monday, 12th Instant, and at the Door of the Hall on Evening of the Concert.

ADMISSION—TWO DOLLARS. Doors open at 8.30; Concert to commence punctually at 9 p.m.

Hongkong, April 14, 1886. 725

CHIARINI'S GRAND CIRCUS

AND—MENAGERIE OPEN

Every Night, At 8 P.M. COMMENCING AT 9.

CONTINUOUS CHANGES OF PROGRAMME!

AFRICAN LIONS

Now appearing Nightly.

GRAND EQUESTRIAN SCENES.

GYMNASIO FEATS OF SKILL AND AGILITY.

All the Ladies in different Acts of Equestrianism.

Wonderful Exhibition of Hippic training by Signor CHIARINI, introduced using superb and magnificent Horses.

GRAND ZOOLOGICAL COLLECTION.

ONE TICKET ADMITS TO ALL. Secure Seats at the HONGKONG HOTEL.

L. MAYA, Secretary.
Hongkong, April 13, 1886. 739

For Sale.

JULES MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE.

Quarts, \$20 per Case of 1 doz. Pints, \$21 " " " 2 " Dubos Freres & de Gernon & Co.'s BORDEAUX CLARETS and WHITE WINES.

Baxter's Celebrated 'Barley Bree' WHISKY, \$7 1/2 per Case of 1 doz. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, July 18, 1884. 1167

FOR SALE.

500 BARRELS CEMENT, from TUNNEL PORTLAND CEMENT WORKS, West Turfrock.

In Lots to suit Purchasers. Apply to G. RAYNAL, 1, Stanley Street.
Hongkong, April 2, 1886. 671

To Let.

ROOMS in 'COLLEGE CHAMBERS.' Nos. 2, 4 and 8, SEYMOUR TERRACE.

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.
Hongkong, March 27, 1886. 632

TO LET.

THE HOUSE in CARTER ROAD No. 1. Apply to the SPANISH PROCUROTOR, No. 14, Cause Road. Terms moderate. Possession on the first of the month.

Hongkong, February 6, 1886. 255

RICHMOND TERRACE, TO BE LET.

A HOUSE, cool in Summer, with Four Good Rooms, Dressing Room, Three Bath Rooms, and convenient Out Offices, in thorough order.

Apply to J. D. HUMPHREYS, 22, Queen's Road Central.
Hongkong, April 1, 1886. 664

TO BE LET—FURNISHED.

A Very Comfortable HOUSE, with Six Rooms, Dressing Room, Library, Three Bath Rooms, convenient Out Offices, Tennis Courts, and Garden. For Nine Months from May next.

Apply to J. D. HUMPHREYS, 22, Queen's Road Central.
Hongkong, April 1, 1886. 665

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION OF VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY, ON

THURSDAY, the 15th April, 1886, at 3 p.m., at the Premises.

ALL TRESS SIX FOUR-STORY HOUSES, Situate on the Remaining Portion of INLAND LOT No. 109, and known as Nos. 21, 23, 25, 27, 29 & 31, HOLLYWOOD ROAD, held for the unexpired residue of a term of 75 years, and for the further term of 924 years.

The Property will be Sold in SIX LOTS, subject to an annual Crown Rent of about \$11 each.

Arrangements can be made for about Two-thirds of the Purchase Money of each Lot to remain on Mortgage at very low interest.

For full Particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to WOTTON & DEACON, Solicitors; or to G. R. LAMBERT, Auctioneer, Duddell Street.

Hongkong, April 8, 1886. 715

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, (On Account of whom it may Concern), At the Godowns of Messrs. TAM WIKONG SING & Co., Swatow, on

WEDNESDAY, the 21st Instant, at (2) Two o'clock p.m.,—

About 5,000 Cases FISH OIL. " 900 Tubs CAMPHOR. " 1,500 Cases CAMPHOR OIL. " 40 PEPPERMINT OIL. " 100 " ANTONY. " 100 " JAPANESE CURIOS.

All more or less damaged by Sea Water. Terms of Sale.—Cash, weighed at 7.2.7, on the fall of the hammer, and all Lots with all faults and errors of description whatsoever, to be at Purchaser's risk and expenses, as soon as knocked down.

QUELOH & Co., Auctioneers.
Swatow, 10th April, 1886. 731

Notices to Consignees.

FROM PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship *Parthia* will arrive here on or about the 19th Instant from the above Ports. Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside on her arrival.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected.

AH YON & Co.
Hongkong, April 13, 1886. 742

FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. *Mascada*, Captain Petersen, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 5 p.m. To-day, the 8th Instant.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 16th Instant will be subject to rank. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left our Godowns. No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by SIEMSEN & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, April 9, 1886. 723

S.S. HAKON ADELSTEN.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM ANTWERP AND HAMBURG. THE S.S. *Hakon Adelsen*, Capt. CHRISTENSEN, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on to SHANGHAI, unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-day, the 12th Instant. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 19th Instant, or they will not be recognised.

GILMAN & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, April 12, 1886. 735

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Ex. Act. 512/18=2 cases Soap from London, to order.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.
Hongkong, April 13, 1886. 743

HONGKONG STEAM BAKERY.

NOTICE.

FROM 1st March the Price for First Quality HOUSEHOLD BREAD will be Five Cents per Pound. DORABEE NOWROJEE.

Shipping.

Steamers.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship *Arcturion*, Capt. STANLEY, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 15th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, April 13, 1886. 745

THE DEN LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR YOKOHAMA AND HUGO. The Steamship *Denryu*, Capt. THOMSON, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 15th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, April 10, 1886. 728

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE, VIA SINGAPORE AND JAVA.

(Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENSLAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, TASMANIA, &c.)

The Steamship *Sumatra*, Capt. THOMSON, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 15th April, at 4 p.m.

This Steamer has excellent Accommodation for First-class Passengers. For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, March 29, 1886. 639

STEAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS.

For Sale.

MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.
VICTORIA EXCHANGE,
QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

HAVE FOR SALE THE FOLLOWING STORES.

York HAMS.
Roll BUTTER.
Tropic BUTTER.
French BUTTER.
BEEF'S COCOA.

VAN HOUTEN'S COCOA.
Picnic TONGUES.
MAKRELL in Oil.
RAISINS and CURRANTS.
Crystallized FRUITS.

SAVORY & MOORE'S NEW INFANT FOOD.
BARNES & CO.'S JAMS.
Potted MEATS.
PATE DE FOIES GRAS.
SWISS MILK.

BORDEN'S
CONDENSED MILK.
COOKING STOVES.
KEROSENE LAMPS.

WINES, &c.

GILBEY'S Sparkling SAUVIGNON, Pin. & Q. & L.
SACCONI'S MANZANILLA.
SACCONI'S Old Invalid PORT.
Old Bourbon WHISKY.
BURN'S Old Irish WHISKY.
Royal Glenlivet WHISKY.
MARSELA.

THE USUAL ASSORTMENT
of
OILMAN'S STORES,
at the
Lowest Possible Prices
FOR CASH.

MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.
Hongkong, February 10, 1886. 280

To-day's Advertisements.

STEAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS.
The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s
Steamship
Vendia
will leave for the above
places on FRIDAY, 23rd April, at daylight.

A. McIVER,
Superintendent.
P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,
Hongkong, April 14, 1886. 762

**INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION
COMPANY, LIMITED.**

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND
CALCUTTA.

The Co.'s Steamship
Taitung,
Captain DAVIES, will be
despatched for the above
ports on SATURDAY, the 14th instant,
at 5 p.m.

This steamer has superior first-class
accommodation, especially constructed to
meet the requirements of tropical climates.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers.

Hongkong, April 14, 1886. 746

U. S. MAIL LINE.

**PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP
COMPANY.**

THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA
OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING
AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THE U. S. Mail Steamship CITY OF
SYDNEY will be despatched for
San Francisco, via Yokohama, on WED-
NESDAY, 15th May, at 3 p.m.,
taking Passengers and Freight for Japan,
the United States, and Europe.

Through Bills of Lading issued for trans-
portation to Yokohama and other Japan
Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and
Inland Cities of the United States, via Over-
land Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and
Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central
and South America, by the Company's
connecting Steamers.

Through Passage Tickets granted to
England, France, and Germany by all
trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers.

Rebates: Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San
Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa)
within six months, will be allowed a discount
of 20% from Return Fare; if re-embarking
within one year, an allowance of 10% will
be made from Return Fare. Free-Fare
Return Passage Orders available for one year
will be issued at a Discount of 25% from
Return Fare. These allowances do not apply to
through fares from China and Japan to
Europe.

Freight will be received on board until
5 p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parcel
Packages will be received at the office until
5 p.m., same day; all Parcel Packages
must be marked to address in full; value
of same is required.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo
destined to ports beyond San Francisco
should be sent to the Company's Office in
Receivable Envelopes, addressed to the Collector
of Customs at San Francisco.

For further information as to Passage
and Freight, apply to the Agents of the
Company, No. 60, Queen's Road Central.
C. D. HARRMAN,
Agent.

Hongkong, April 14, 1886. 744

To-day's Advertisements.

**THEATRE ROYAL,
CITY HALL.**

Manager, - - - NIEL O'BRIEN.

Patron:
His EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINIS-
TRATING THE GOVERNMENT,
THE HON. W. H. MARSH, C.M.G.

LAST NIGHT BUT ONE
OF THE
FAMOUS AND POPULAR
MASCOTTE'S OPERA COMPANY.

TO-MORROW EVENING,
the 15th April, 1886,
By Special Request will be REPEATED
'The Lily of Killarney,'
'THE LILY OF KILLARNEY,'
'THE LILY OF KILLARNEY.'

By Special Request will be REPEATED
'The Lily of Killarney,'
'THE LILY OF KILLARNEY,'
'THE LILY OF KILLARNEY.'

SATURDAY, 17th April.

LAST NIGHT OF THE SEASON
AND
COMPLIMENTARY BENEFIT
TO
MR. NIEL O'BRIEN.

GRAND PROGRAMME.

'THE ROSE OF AUVERGNE,'
And
THE SCRAMBLING IRISH COMEDY,
'HIS LAST LEGS.'

Edie O'Callaghan, - Mr. NIEL O'BRIEN.
Conductor, - - - Signor M. A. VALENZUOLA.

By kind permission of Colonel FOSTER and
Officers, the Band of the 58th Regt.
will play appropriate Selections during
the evening.

Doors open at 8.30. Overture at 9 precisely.

Box Plan at KELLY & WATSON'S (LIMITED),
Hongkong, April 14, 1886. 750

**STEAM FOR
SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO,
ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID,
MALTA, MARSEILLES, GIBRALTAR,
BRINDISI, TRIESTE, VENICE,
PLYMOUTH, AND LONDON;**

ALSO,
BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND
AUSTRALIA.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills
of Lading for BATAVIA, PERMAN
GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES,
TRIESTE, HAMBURG, NEW YORK
AND BOSTON.

SPECIAL ONLY LANDED AT PLYMOUTH.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM
NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship
THAMES, Capt. W. A. SEATON, R.N.R.,
with Her Majesty's Mail, will be despatched
from this for LONDON, via BOMBAY
AND SUEZ CANAL, on FRIDAY, the
23rd April, at 4 p.m.

Cargo will be received on board until
10 a.m. on the day of sailing.
Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office
until 10 a.m. on the day of sailing.

Silk and Valuables for Europe will be
transhipped at Colombo; Tea and Gen-
eral Cargo for London will be conveyed
direct Bombay without transhipping, arriving
one week later than by the ordinary direct
route via Colombo.

For further Particulars regarding
FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the
PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVI-
GATION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong.

The Contents and Value of Packages are
required to be declared prior to shipment.
Shippers are particularly requested to
note the terms and conditions of the Com-
pany's Bill of Lading.

Passengers desirous of insuring their bag-
gage can do so on application at the Com-
pany's Office.

N.B.—This Steamer takes Cargo and Pas-
sengers for MANILA.

A. McIVER, Superintendent.
Hongkong, April 14, 1886. 753

**DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,
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FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOCHOW.
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ports on SUNDAY, the 18th instant, at
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Hongkong, April 14, 1886. 749

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Hongkong, April 15, 1886. 754

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FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND
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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.
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SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Taitung reports:
From Singapore to Taitung, fresh
winds from N.E. and swell from same
quarter; thence light winds and fine weather
up to April 13th, at 2 p.m., when wind
gradually freshened with high swell, from
the N.E. and cloudy weather. Arrived in
Hongkong and anchored at 1 a.m.

The Chinese steamer Chi Yuen reports:
Left Wuhu on the 13th, and anchored
off the Saddle, thick fog; and thence to
port-hazy weather and rain with fresh N.E.
wind.

The British steamer Hongkong reports:
First part fresh breeze and cloudy weather;
latter part moderate and cloudy weather.
On the 13th inst., a light steamer Egret
arrived from Hongkong.

The British steamer Thales reports:
Had variable northerly winds, and dull cloudy
weather throughout. Steamers in Fochow,
China and Meifoo. Steamers in Amoy,
Amoy and Lido. Steamers in Swatow,
Lee Sang, Soo-chow, Chantung, Tientsin and
Hoihow.

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

MAILS will close:—

For HONGKONG.—
Per HONGKONG, at 11.30 a.m., on Thurs-
day, the 15th inst.

For SHANGHAI.—
Per Fushin, at 3.30 p.m., on Thursday,
the 15th inst.

For AMOY, PORT DARWIN, THUR-
SDAY ISLAND, COOKTOWN,
TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYD-
NEY, MELBOURNE, ADELAIDE,
&c., &c., &c.—
Per Amoy, at 3.30 p.m., on Thursday,
the 15th inst.

For STRAITS AND BOMBAY.—
Per Swatow, at 3.30 p.m., on Friday, the
16th inst.

For STRAITS, COLOMBO, AND BOM-
BAY.—
Per Berwick, at 11.30 a.m., on Saturday,
the 17th inst.

For SAIGON.—
Per Protea, at 2.30 p.m., on Saturday,
the 17th inst.

For BANGKOK.—
Per Gildard, at 4.30 p.m., on Monday,
the 19th inst.

For STRAITS AND BOMBAY.—
Per Venetia, at 5 p.m., on Thursday, the
22nd inst.

For STRAITS AND CALCUTTA.—
Per Taitung, at 2.30 p.m., on Saturday,
the 24th inst.

For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.
Per Thibet, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the
24th inst.

SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.
APRIL 14, 1886.

5,000\$	100	all	...		
2,500\$	50	all	...		
40,000\$	10\$	5	...		
3,000\$	50	all	...		
4,000\$	50\$	50	...		
			<i>Rates of Int.</i>		
8,548 TL	500	all	8 1/2	First	
2700\$	500	all	8 1/2	Pay	
2790\$	500	all	8 1/2	June &	
5180\$	500	all	8 1/2	June &	
600\$	500	all	8 1/2	June &	

